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In reply to the action mailed October 3, 2002, please amend the application as indicated on the following pages. Applicant asks that all claims be allowed in view of the amendment to the claims and remarks contained on the following sheets, a total of 9 pages.

Enclosed is a \$216 check for excess claim fees and a \$930 check for the Petition for Extension of Time fee. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

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